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- Power of Attorney by Assignee (1 page) with attached copy of Assignment document (2 pages)
- Return receipt postcard

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Respectfully submitted,

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